

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	Herbert Huettlin
Application No. 10/788,428	Filing Date: February 27, 2004
Title of Application:	Tunnel-Like Apparatus for Treating Particulate Material
Confirmation No. 6984	Art Unit: 3749
Examiner	Jiping Lu

MAIL STOP FEE AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

# Response Transmittal and Calculation of Fee for Claims

#### Dear Sir:

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for this Application in response to the Official Action of November 18, 2005.

2. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

Claims after amendment 21 Number already paid for -20 = 1 @ \$50.00 = \$50.00

Independent claims after

amendment 3

Independent claims already

paid for -3 = 0 @ \$200.00 = \_\_00

Additional Claims Fee \$50.00

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Fee Payment. Attached is a check in the sum of \$50.00. This is also a petition and a request to charge to Account No. 19-4516 for any additional extension and/or fee as may be required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

March 20, 2006

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## RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the outstanding Office Action mailed November 18, 2005. Please enter this Response to Official Action in the above-referenced application. Enclosed herewith is a Request for a one month extension of time to respond to the afore-mentioned outstanding Office Action and a credit card authorization for the appropriate fee. Applicant believes that no further fee is due in connection with the filing of this Response. However, if any further fee is due please charge Deposit Account No. 19-4516.

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